**WHEREAS,** in 1982, the "Bikes for Kids" program was started by Rick and Rita Case in conjunction with the local Boys and Girls Clubs in an effort to distribute new and pre-owned bicycles during the holiday season to those children whose holiday may be less than bright; and

**WHEREAS,** this program teaches kids a valuable lesson about the joys of giving as well as providing a much appreciated gift for children who might otherwise not hope to receive such a present; and

**WHEREAS,** over 100,000 bicycles have been distributed to joyful new owners; and

**WHEREAS**, this contribution is significant in terms of effort and spirit by all those young people participating in this worthwhile project; and

**WHEREAS,** since 2004 represents the 23<sup>rd</sup> anniversary of the inception of the Rick and Rita Case "Bike for Kids" program, it is hoped that 10,000 bicycles will be received, and given in celebration of the 2004 holiday season;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT PROCLAIMED** that the Mayor and Town Council of the Town of Davie hereby proclaim Wednesday, December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2004 as;

#### RICK CASE BIKES FOR KIDS DAY

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 15<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2004.

Tom	Truex.	Mayor

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